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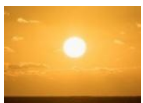
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**Kunming dialogue on collective progress in the implementation
of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework
in support of the global review**
Kunming, China, 7-9 September 2026

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1. Opening and Registration

The Kunming dialogue on collective progress in the implementation of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework in support of the global review will be held in Kunming, China from 7 to 9 September 2026. The meeting will start at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, 7 September 2026.

The meeting will be preceded by regional consultations on 6 September 2026.

Registration hours

- 5 September 08:00 – 16:00
- 6 September 08:00 – 17:00
- 7-8 September 08:00 – 17:00
- 9 September 08:00 – 13:00

Venue

The meeting will be held at:

Yunnan Haigeng Convention Center
6 Guanjing Rd, Xishan, Kunming, Yunnan Province, China

Tel: +86-(0) 871-64311319/+86-(0) 871-64311552

Website of the Venue: http://www.ynlianyun.com/index/index/convention_center.html

2. Working language of the meeting

The meeting will be held in English.

3. Documents



Documents will be made available at: <https://www.cbd.int/meetings/IMP-OM-2026-02>.

4. General information on access to Kunming



The Kunming Changshui International Airport (IATA: KMG; ICAO: ZPPP) (web site: <https://km.ynairport.com>) is located about 40 km from the venue. Both the Kunming Railway Station and the Kunmingnan Railway Station are about 10km and 30km respectively from the venue.

5. Visa information



All participants are required to obtain an entry visa for travel to the People's Republic of China. They are requested to apply through their nearest Chinese Embassy or Consulate; It is strongly advised to submit the application immediately to secure the required entry visa in a timely manner, prior to departure. Please note that visa process can take up to 4 weeks. Airline companies will deny boarding in the absence of a valid visa.

Nationals holding valid ordinary passports of 50 countries, namely Brunei, France, Germany, Italy, Spain, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Ireland, Hungary, Austria, Belgium, Luxembourg, New Zealand, Australia, Poland, Portugal, Greece, Cyprus, Slovenia, Slovakia, Norway, Finland, Denmark, Iceland, Andorra, Monaco, Liechtenstein, the Republic of Korea, Bulgaria, Romania, Croatia, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Malta, Estonia, Latvia, Japan, Brazil, Argentina, Chile, Peru, Uruguay, Saudi Arabia, Oman, Kuwait, Bahrain, Russia, Sweden, Canada and UK are exempted from visa requirement if coming to China for the purpose of business, tourism, family or friends visits, exchange and transit. They can stay in China for no more than 30 days without a visa. (FAQs on Visa-free Entry into China: https://cs.mfa.gov.cn/gyls/lsgz/fwxx/202511/t20251110_11749824.shtml) and **holders of other passport types** (eg. diplomatic, service/official passports, or EU laissez-passers etc.) should consult *The List of Agreements on Mutual Visa Exemption Between the People's Republic of China and Foreign Countries*: http://english.www.gov.cn/news/202512/03/content_WS693020c2c6d00ca5f9a07e35.html for specific rules.

Information regarding procedures and requirements for visa applications can be found on the web site of the relevant Chinese Embassies and Consulates General, which are listed on the web site of the State Council of the People's Republic of China: <http://english.gov.cn/services/visitchina/>.

A list of relevant Chinese diplomatic/consular missions abroad can be found on the web site of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China: <https://www.mfa.gov.cn/eng/>.

To facilitate the issuance of visas, the Secretariat will issue invitation letters to registered participants to be attached to the visa applications.

When prompted to enter the contact name and details in the application, please provide the details below:

- Inviting contact or organization: Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity, Yunnan Provincial People's Government, China
- Contact person name: Zhao Huizhen
- Contact email: 1952925629@qq.com
- Contact phone: +86-18163690429

Type of visa: Please ensure to select “F” for type of visa.

IMPORTANT: When submitting the online application, please make sure to upload the following documents: (1) Host country-CBD support letter, (2) Priority Pass, and (3) CBD visa assistance letter.

6. Hotel information



Participants are requested to make **their own hotel reservations at one of the hotels listed in Annex A below** which are in the vicinity of the Yunnan Haigeng Convention Center.

7. Payment of the Daily Subsistence Allowance (DSA)

The DSA will be disbursed on the first day of the meeting. Funded participants are kindly requested to bring their passports and boarding passes on the first day of the meeting. These will be copied and returned to participants during the course of the day. It is advisable that participants have some cash at hand to cover expenses that may occur between their arrival and the moment at which they may access DSA funds.

8. Official language

The official language in the People's Republic of China is Chinese (Mandarin).

9. Weather and time zone information

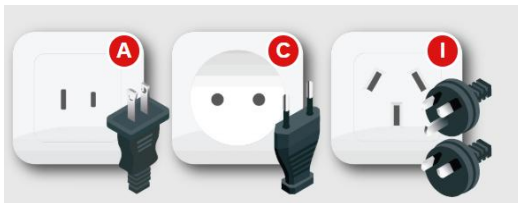


In September the average temperatures in Kunming range between 23°C in the daytime and 14°C at night. The current weather conditions may be found at: <https://worldweather.wmo.int/en/city.html?cityId=238>.

The standard time zone at the time of the meeting will be CST (People's Republic of China Standard Time) which is GMT/UTC + 8 hours.

10. Electricity

The electrical currents are 220 Volts, 50 Hertz, there are a few varieties of plugs throughout the country. Plug types A, C and I are shown below.



11. Currency



The currency in China is the Chinese Yuan (¥). The current exchange rate as of 23 July 2026 is USD \$1 = ¥ 6.76 and €1 = ¥ 7.73 (source: www.xe.com, rates are subject to change).

Currency exchange facilities are available in the Kunming Changshui International Airport and following hotels: InterContinental Kunming by IHG (exchange limit: 50 dollars/person/day), Dianchi Garden Resort Hotel & Spa (exchange limit: 100 dollars/person/day) and HUALUXE Hotels & Resorts Kunming (exchange limit: 2,0000 RMB/person/day).

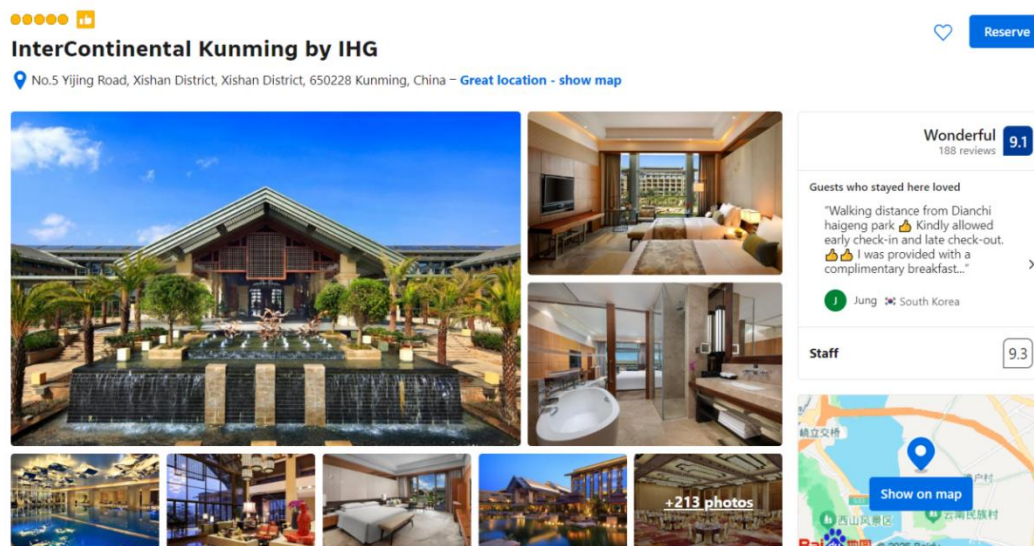
12. Disclaimer

The CBD Secretariat and host country government disclaim all responsibility for medical, accident and travel insurance, for compensation for death or disability compensation, for loss of or damage to personal property and for any other loss that may be incurred during travel time or the period of participation. In this context, it is strongly recommended to secure international medical, accident and travel insurance for the period of participation prior to departure.

Annex A

LIST OF HOTELS INDICATIVE ROOM RATES IN CHINESE YUAN RATES ARE INDICATIVE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE

1. 昆明洲际酒店InterContinental Kunming by IHG



Short Walking Distance to the venue (5-8 minutes)

Booking Links:

(languages can be switched in the upper-right corner of the hotel booking page.)

<https://www.booking.com/Share-5DgMPx>

<https://www.trip.com/w/nOv81bE1MV2>

https://www.ihg.com.cn/hotels/gb/en/find-hotels/select-roomrate?qDest=%E6%98%86%E6%98%8E&qPt=CASH&qCiD=19&qCoD=20&qCiMy=072025&qCoMy=072025&qAdlt=1&qChld=0&qRms=1&qAAR=6CBARC&qSIH=KMGYR&qAkamaiC=C&CN&srb_u=1&qExpndSrch=false&qSrt=sAV&qBr=6c.hi.ex.sb.ul.ic.cp.cw.in.vn.cv.rs.ki.kd.ma.sp.va.re.vx.nd.sx.we.lx.rn.sn.nu.ge&qWch=0&qSmP=0&qRad=30&qRdU=mi&setPMCookies=true&qpMbw=0&qErm=false&qpMn=1&qLoSe=false&qRmFltr=

Dining Service Hours:

Breakfast: 06:00-10:30

Lunch: 12:00-13:30 (RMB 198/person/meal)

Dinner: 17:30-21:30 (RMB 298/person/meal)

Available Rooms (as of 30 June): 210

2. 云南海埂宾馆Haigeng Hotel

Trip.com Hotels & Homes Flights Trains Cars ... App List your property HKD Customer support Find bookings Sign in/register

Haigeng Hotel Sat, Sep 5 - Thu, Sep 10 5 nights 1 room, 2 adults, 0 children Search

← All properties in Kunming

Haigeng Hotel 4.0 ★★★★★
 No. 2 Yijing Road, Dianchi National Tourist Resort, Xishan District, Kunming, Yunnan, China [Show on map](#) Save Share



Indoor pool Garden view Cardroom Delicious breakfast +6 more

This hotel is not currently accepting bookings

[View Other Hotels](#)

Easy Walking Distance to the venue (15 minutes)

Booking Links:

<https://www.trip.com/w/AI9NXQ81MV2>

(languages can be switched in the upper-right corner of the hotel booking page.)

Dining Service Hours:

Breakfast: 7:30-9:00

Lunch: 11:30-13:00 (RMB 80-100/person/meal)

Dinner: 17:30-19:30 (RMB 80-100/person/meal)

Available Rooms (as of 30 June): 170

3. 昆明兴华国际酒店Xinhua International Holiday Hotel

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Xinhua International Holiday Hotel Sat, Sep 5 - Thu, Sep 10 5 nights 1 room, 2 adults, 0 children Search

← All properties in Kunming

Xinhua International Holiday Hotel 4.0 ★★★★★
 No. 3 Yijing Road, Xishan District, Kunming, Yunnan, 6, China [Show on map](#) Save Share



Lake view room Ideal location Buffet breakfasts Basketball court +6 more

HK\$423
 Total price: HK\$2,243

Easy Walking Distance to the venue (15 minutes)

Booking Links:

<https://www.trip.com/w/IVvGb5R6MV2>

(languages can be switched in the upper-right corner of the hotel booking page.)

Dining Service Hours:

Breakfast: 7:30-9:00

Lunch: 11:30-13:00 (RMB 60/person/meal)
 Dinner: 17:30-19:00 (RMB 60/person/meal)
 Available Rooms(as of 30 June): 143

4. 昆明华邑酒店HUALUXE Hotels & Resorts Kunming

20 minutes Walking Distance to the venue (1.7 km)

Booking Links:

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1. <https://www.booking.cn/Share-b802cf>
2. <https://www.trip.com/w/nOv81bE1MV2>
3. https://www.ihg.com.cn/hualuxe/hotels/gb/en/find-hotels/select-roomrate?fromRedirect=true&qSrt=sBR&qIta=99801505&icdv=99801505&qSIH=KMGLX&qCiD=05&qCiMy=082026&qCoD=10&qCoMy=082026&qGrpCd=F32&qAAR=6CBARC&qRtP=6CBARC&setPMCookies=true&qSHBrC=UL&qDest=No.5%20West%20Hongta%20Road,%20Xishan%20District,%20Kunming,%20YN,%20CN&showApp=true&adjustMonth=false&srb_u=1&qRmFltr=

Dining Service Hours:

Breakfast: 06:30-10:00

Lunch: 12:00-14:00 (RMB 178/person/meal)

Dinner: 17:30-21:00 (RMB 198/person/meal)

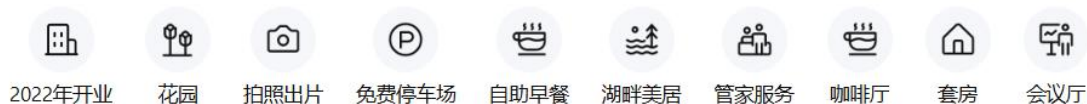
Available Rooms(as of 30 June): 80 double rooms+80 twin rooms

5. 昆明滇池豪生酒店 Howard Hohnson lakeview Hotel Kunming

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昆明滇池豪生酒店 ★★★★★



Distance to the venue: 1.9 km

Booking Links:

<https://m.ctrip.com/webapp/hotels/xtaro/detail?hotelid=90391303&rankid=&shareId=OTAzOTEzM DN8aG90ZWxfW5sYW5kX2RldGFpbHwxMjh8MjAyNjA3MDIUMTc0MDU3&uid=0B6EA712 F916C72A07EE8A1A63357DBB&intographicsshow=1&sharersid=18&sharerpvid=219&sharercid=12001114890329371383&sharerdate=20260709&filterid=80%7C0&atime=2026-07-09&days=1&quantity=1&adult=1>

Booking Call: 86 0871-64990888

Dining Service Hours:

Breakfast: 7:00-10:00

Lunch: TBC (RMB 108/person/meal)

Dinner: TBC (RMB 108/person/meal)

Available Rooms(as of 30 June): 90 double rooms+72 twin rooms

6. 昆明海伟国际度假酒店Haiwei International Resort Hotel

Haiwei International Resort Hotel

 No. 1306 Dianchi Road, Xishan District, Kunming, Yunnan, China [Show on map](#)



 Great views  Picture-perfect  Free parking  Ideal location  +5 more

Distance to the venue: 2.6 km

Booking Links:

<https://www.trip.com/w/1eszdYI4SV2>

(languages can be switched in the upper-right corner of the hotel booking page.)

Dining Service Hours:

Breakfast: 07:00-10:00

Lunch: 12:00-13:30 (RMB 88/person/meal)

Dinner: 17:30-21:30 (RMB 98/person/meal)

Available Rooms(as of 30 June): 73

7. 昆明滇池温泉花园国际大酒店 Dianchi Garden Resort Hotel & Spa

Dianchi Garden Resort Hotel & Spa

 No. 1316 Dianchi Road, Xishan District, Kunming, Yunnan, 650228, China [Show on map](#)



 Lakeside  Picture-perfect  Heated pool  Ideal location  +6 more

Distance to the venue: 3.5 km

Booking Links:

<https://www.trip.com/w/94H9Xre4SV2>

(languages can be switched in the upper-right corner of the hotel booking page.)

Dining Service Hours:

Breakfast: 07:00-09:30

Lunch: 12:00-13:30 (RMB 88-128/person/meal)

Dinner: 18:00-19:30 (RMB 88-128/person/meal)

Available Rooms(as of 30 June): 117
